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Cargill Construction Co. LLC Joins the LEED for Homes Green Certification Program

Local home builder brings green home construction to area residents looking to lower utility bills and improve quality of life

July 20th, 2009, Campton New Hampshire the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) is proud to welcome Cargill Construction Co. LLC of Campton, NH as a participant in LEED for Homes. LEED for Homes is a national third-party certification system for energy efficient, healthy, green homes. Joining over 700 national builders including custom home builders, production buildings, and affordable housing developers; Cargill Construction Co. LLC will provide invaluable specific focus on the green homebuilding.

“Cargill Construction is gearing up to bring green LEED for Homes to the Lakes Region,” said Bill Cargill, Owner, Cargill Construction Co. LLC. “Our expertise in building LEED-certified homes will help us to address rising energy and water costs that many Lakes Region homeowners are facing to help keep home ownership affordable.”

LEED stands for leadership in green homebuilding. LEED certification provides third-party assurance to home buyers that their home complies with rigorous technical requirements for energy and water efficiency, indoor air quality, non-toxic materials, and environmental performance. Homes that are certified through LEED complete a technically rigorous verification process that includes a home energy (HERS) rating and onsite inspections. Lower insurance rates, advantageous financing, and government incentives may be available for LEED-certified homes.

Since 1971, Bill Cargill of Cargill Construction has been building primary and vacation homes as well as commercial buildings throughout the Lakes Region spanning north to the ski areas of Loon Mt. The company has a master-planned community and more than 500 homes in the Lakes Region and Mountains. Cargill Construction Co. LLC assures a superior quality of life.

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About USGBC

The U.S. Green Building Council is a nonprofit membership organization whose vision is a sustainable built environment within a generation. Its membership includes corporations, builders, universities, government agencies, and other nonprofit organizations. Since USGBC's founding in 1993, the Council has grown to more than 14,500 member companies and organizations, a comprehensive family of LEED® green building rating systems, an expansive educational offering, the industry's popular Greenbuild International Conference and Expo (www.greenbuildexpo.org), and a network of 77 local chapters, affiliates, and organizing groups. For more information, visit www.usgbc.org.

About LEED® for Homes

LEED® for Homes is a third-party certification system for high-performance green homes. Developed and administered by USGBC, LEED for Homes awards points to projects in seven categories of environmental performance: Location & Linkages, Sustainable Sites, Water Efficiency, Indoor Environmental Quality, Energy & Atmosphere, Homeowner Awareness, and Innovation and Design. To date, more than 540 homes have been LEED-certified, and over 13,000 have been registered and are under development. For more information, visit www.thegreenhomeguide.org